REMARKS

This Amendment is filed in an RCE in response to the final Office Action of December 8, 2008 in which claims 1-8 and 10-24 were rejected.

I. Amended claims

The following amendments have been performed to the claims:

- Claim 1 has been amended in its body to its wording as originally filed and has in addition been restricted, firstly, with the feature that "said at least partially dividing at least one page into a plurality of areas comprises element-wise rendering elements contained in said at least one page to obtain a rendered object with a maximum height and a maximum width, checking if a size of said rendered object exceeds a threshold, and forming an area from said rendered object if said threshold is exceeded" and, secondly, with the feature that it "further comprises checking if at least one edge of said formed area is not straight, and forming a smaller area from said rendered object if at least one edge is not straight." The first feature is based on the disclosure on page 41, last paragraph, of the description of the application. The second feature is based on the disclosure on page 42, third paragraph, of the description of the application.
- Claims 2 to 13 have been cancelled.
- Claim 14 has been amended to be dependent on method claim 1.
- Claim 15 has been amended in its body essentially to the features as originally filed with a processor and a display, respectively, having been substituted for "means." Fig. 8 discloses a controller with reference sign 804 as an exemplary such processor and a display with reference sign 808. Claim 15 has in addition been restricted with the analogous features as claim 1.
- Claims 16 to 24 have been cancelled.
- New claim 25 depends on claim 1 and comprises the feature that "said at least partially dividing at least one page into a plurality of areas comprises checking if a formed area can be combined with a previously formed area, and combining said